

# ALEXANDRIA, VA.

MONDAY EVENING, NOVEMBER 16.

WHETHER ANY thing be done by the next Logislature with the State debt or not, there is no doubt of the fact, as attested by reliaable evidence from without as well as within the State, that the loss Virginia has sustained by her attempts to defraud her creditors has been infinitely greater than any gains she could possibly make even in the improbable event of the success of those attempts. Her natural advantages for the investment of capital and the superior inducements she offers to settlers are recognized and properly appreciated, but were they ten times greater, they would be insufficient to attract either as long as she is known as a State that repudiates her debts. As much money as is desired can be borrowed in the North on real estate just across the river, but not a cent on that which lies on this side.

Science for November 15th contains a paper read by Col. Marshall McDonald at a recent meeting of the Biological Society of Washington, upon the necessity of artificial propagation in relation to the maintenance of the shad fisheries. In it the statement is made that the catch in the Potomac in 1880 was 582,800, but in 1885 it was only 157,697, a decrease of 86 per cent., which is attributed to the difficulty the fish now have in reaching the spawning grounds, by reason of pound nets that extend far out into Chesapeake bay, and gill nets that reach almost to the mouth of the river, and to the unfavorable condition of those grounds in consequence of the impurities that are now thrown into the water. The Colonel thinks that artificial propagation is the only means by which the extermination of shad can be prevented.

WHAT PUZZLES some of that inconvenient sort of people who are always trying to find out the reason of things is the fact that whereas those editors in Virginia who have been given federal offices under the present administration were required to abandon their newspapers, no such requirement is made of editor Dorsheimer, to whom has been given a federal office in New York. Such a difference would not have appeared at all singular under a republican, and therefore a sectional, administration, but occurring as it does under a democratic, and therefore a national, administration, it does seem passing strange.

THE NEW YORK Tribune says "Senator Mahone has in preparation a statement showing that the republicaus in Virginia were counted out and just how and where it was done." General Mahone could show plainly enough and without any difficulty how he has acquired a large fortune out of Virginia's interests in her own railroads, and out of Virginia politics, but his proposed effort to show that he was counted out at the late election will tax even his ingenuity, great as that is. And then, too, the jury in the case referred to will be the people of the country, and not the republican majoriity of the Senatorial Danville committee.

To show how insincere are the professions of the protectionists of the North, it is only necessary to mention the fact that there is not one of them who is not willing that the duty on sugar and rice, Southern products, should be removed, and that all the iron manufacturers of the North, except man, but there will be no change in its those who hold the patent for what is known as the basic process, are in favor of free steel rails. The Northern protectionist is a good enough free trader when he is not individually interested.

THE MISSIONARY societies of the M. E. Church of this country have appropriated \$1,255,236 to home and foreign missions for the ensuing year, the most of which is for the latter. If what the New York newspapers say of the ignorance, infidelity, vice crime and pauperism of that city be true, why any of the money referred to should be sent out of the country, when there is so much transparent and urgent need of it at home, is what only the missionaries can tell.

RIEL WAS hanged to-day, as he should have been, because he was sane and had incited to insurrection savages, who committed inhuman crimes, and spared neither women nor children. The attempt to make his monstrous crime a political offense was

As THIS country, under its existing navigation and protective tariff laws, has lost all its foreign shipping business and become utterly impotent on the high seas, it could well afford a change in those laws, as no change could possibly be for the worse.

According to Judge Vincent's letter to the President, a great mistake was made and a great injustice done in removing him from the judgeship of New Mexico.

Mrs. Nuckolls, an old lady, mother of Silas B. Nuckolls, and two daughters of Adam Bare, in attempting to cross North river Saturday evening at the bend just above the mouth of South river, were drowned in sight of their homes. The cause of the accident was due to the bottom of the boat giving away, and this happening in the middle of the river no relief could be gotten to them in time.

Owing to the protest of Mr. Pendleton, the German-Americans whose expulsion was ordered from the Island of Fohr will te allowed to remain until further notice. | Church to-night.

FROM WASHINGTON.

[Special Correspondence of the Alexandria Gasette.] WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 16, 1885. Judge James B. Sener, ex-Congressman from the Fredericksburg, Va., district, who was, during the war, the agent of the Southern Associated Press with the Army of Confederate standpoint five articles, reciting the battles of Winchester, the three-days' fight at Gettysburg, and the operations of the Cavalry of the Army of Northern Virginia, which cover the retreat of the army back from Pennsylvania, from material derived from authentic sources, which will shortly appear in a New York magazine or a leading northwestern paper.

The notice on the door of the White House prohibiting the admission of officeseekers and their advocates has driven home and keeps away nearly all the Congressmen. It, however, has not diminished the number of office seekers from Virginia, that is, judging from the number who are applying to Mr. Barbour for his influence in furthering their objects in that direction. A gentleman who saw him this morning says ne was surrounded by as large a crowd of applicants for office as he was in the early spring, before it was known that the repub-

icans were not to be emoved. It is understood here to-day that the action of the civil service commission in the Sterling case in New York was in direct accordance with instructions from the President; that it was made an exceptional case, and that hereafter only the four highest of those who have passed the required examination, instead of the whole number, as in the Sterling case, will be certified to the ap-

pointing officer for appointment. A prominent New York democratic poliician, here to-day, a Tammany Hall man, in talking about the next Virginia U. S. Senatorship, said he hoped Mr. Barbour would get it, for the reason that his election would show the country that the democracy of Virginia still held to the true old Jeffersonian ideas, and still think it right that the men who work for the party deserve the party's favors, when it has them to bestow. Human nature, said he, is weak, and what object will men have in devoting their means and their whole attention to the interests of their party, if they are to be ignored when their efforts result in success

The following changes in the fourth class postoflices in Virginia were made to day: Freeshade, Middlesex county, Jno. R. Newcomb, appointed postmaster vice Matthew Glenn, removed; Locust Mount, Accomack county, Wm. P. Goffigor, vice John E. Wadford, removed.

Among the claims on file in the Court of Claims are several from Virginia that have arisen under the French Spoliation bill passed by the last Congress.

The civil rights bill is now in full operation in all the Government departments here, so far at least as the accommodations of the department eating rooms are concerned, for in all of them white women and negro men can be seen eating together at the same tables.

Among the lawyers in the U.S. Supreme Court room to-day, were Mr. Wm. L. Royall, counsel for the English holders of Virginia bonds, and Attorney-General Blair, of Virginia. To-day was the time to which the argument in certain Virginia coupon cases was advanced on Mr. Royall's motion, but Attorney General Blair is here to move a postponement until January, by which time his successor, Mr. Ayers, will be in office. Governor elect Lee and Major Courtland H. Smith, of Virginia, have been invited by city to a dinner to be given there about the

some prominent democrats of New York last of this or the first of next month to which Governor Hill, of New York, has also been invited. It is understood that both the Governors have accepted the invitation It will be the first time they have met, and their meeting will be especially agreeable as by their election the solid South and New York were secured for the next national democratic ticket.

## VIRGINIA NEWS. .

There will be only four colored men in the next Legislature.

Partial investigation of the books of John M. Carroll, treasurer of Staunton, who disappeared in September last, discloses a deficit of \$14,000.

The officers and directors of the Norfolk Exchange Bank who were indicted, appeared in court Saturday and were bailed for trial at the May term of the U.S. court.

Mr. C. W. Smith, general manager of the Chesapeake and Ohio Railway, has resigned his position to accept the vice-presidency of the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe sys-

The Lynchburg Virginian has been pur chased from Charles W. Button by John W. and Henry Sherman, the former for several years the local editor of the paper. The price paid was \$15,000. The paper henceforth will be conducted by the Messrs. Sherpolitical principles.

Marion C. Silver, of Greene county, Wisconsin, was arrested at Lynchburg Saturday on a charge of bigamy, and held to await the requisition of the Governor of Wisconsin. He has lived at Lynchburg several months with a woman whom he is alleged to have married in New Jersey. Her name was Lorella A. Spencer, but Silver denies that be was married to her.

## NEWS OF THE DAY.

A New York firm has locked out 2,000 cigar-makers until the union stops boycotting the firm.

A Brooklyn father has sold his five-yearold daughter for one dollar and made a formal transfer.

Pat Bennett and John Mahoney, two disreputable characters of Washington, became involved in a quarrel over a trivial matter Saturday night and Mahoney kicked Bennett so severely in the abdomen that he died yesterday.

Relief committees are actively at work at Galveston, Texas, relieving the immediate wants of the people burned out by the conflagration of Friday. The News says Galveston will be as beautiful as ever in a few months, and is doing business at the old stands. The citizens' relief committee passed a resolution that while not soliciting contributions from abroad, yet they are deeply grateful for all donations from any quarter. the Bulgarian army.

## Baltimore and Ohio Rallroad.

BALTIMORE, Nov. 16 .- The annual meeting of the stock-holders of the Baltimore and Ohio railroad was held to-day, when the 59th annual report of the president and directors was read. The report shows the revenues of the company, from the main stem and several divisions for the past year to have been \$16,999,960, or \$2,819,965 less than for the year preceding. The earnings of the main stem were \$9,733,251, and the expenses \$5,763,351, or \$3,969,900 less than the earnings; working expenses 59.21 per cabin. A tired-looking waiter carried botcent. The profit and loss account for the past | tle after bottle of champagne to the great fiscal year shows an increase of \$110,319. The surplus fund amounts to \$47,814,615. The sinking funds, increments and the payments made during the year amounted to pointment of Mr. Beattie as Surveyor of this \$699,850.

Attend the Bazaar at Trinity M. E.

MARBIED AT A JAIL WINDOW.

Last Tuesday, Mr. James Fauntleroy, a well-to-do young farmer, of Marion, Smythe county, Va., went out walking on Ragged Princess Anne county, residing about two Edge Hill with Miss Mollie Downes, the miles from the village of Kempsville, went belle of Chatham Hill village. While pass-Northern Virginia, has prepared from a ing along a narrow pathway on the moun-morning. When she did not return at the tain side overhanging a deep ravine they proper time her father and brothr became were accosted by Mr. Pierre Dugau, another uneasy and started out to look for her. farmer, who had been a suitor for Miss Downes's hand for several years. Dugan came upon the couple while young Fauntleroy's arm was around the girl's waist. He began to reproach the girl and Fauntleroy struck him full in the face. The blow knocked Dugan from the narrow path into the rayine, where he lay senseless for several | had been outraged, although it was gener-Chatham Hill and organize a relief party, who, with the aid of ropes, raised Dugan from the ravine. Dugan's legs were broken, and it was feared that he was internally injured. Miss Downes's grief was intense, and when Fauntleroy was put in jail, she fainted.

die. Fauntleroy's brother, who is a lawyer, earth will be very short. The belief is that of the Balkans. suggested that it was a pity Jim was not ontrage was intended, but becoming frightto appear as a witness against her own husband. The suggestion was quickly caught at and Lawyer Fauntleroy went to Thomas Downes, brother of the girl, and after some persuasion, induced him to consent to the mmediate marriage of the couple. Knowing that the sheriff would object and that along the road, after having been partly he would do all in his power to prevent the caten by the murderer. Her school books marriage, the arrangements were made cannot be found. On the right side of her garia is only skin deep." very quietly. Through a cousin in the office of the County Clerk, Tom Downes got a insert a man's hand. All over the throat, and marriage license for his sister and James on various portions of the body, were marks Fauntleroy. Lest night. Miss Downes and showing that a struggle had taken place. her brother drove quietly into Chatham from their home, two miles in the country. They were met at the jail by Lawyer Fauntleroy and a minister named Peterson. The party had previously located the cell occupied by the prisoner, and they now pushed their carriage directly against the jail wall, under the cell window.

Lawyer Fauntleroy jumped on to the seat of the carriage, and thrusting his hand through the iron grating, broke through the glass of the window, at the same time calling out to his brother to reassure him. The latter, by dragging his cot under the window in the cell and standing on the headboard, managed to get his head on a level with the window. The necessity of the marriage was quickly explained, and then Lawyer Fauntleroy jumped to the ground and aided Miss Downes to get into the buggy. The trembling girl could not quite reach the eager hand stretched from the barred window. Then Lawyer Fauntleroy knelt down in the buggy and the minister aided Miss Downes to plant her dainty foot on his back and clamber to the shoulders of her brother, who stood braced against the fail wall. In this position she could easily grasp her expectant lover's hand, which she kissed fer-In this strange situation, unable to see each other's faces, but with the moonlight streaming through the grated window, the young couple were hurrically married.

"It was quite a picturesque scene," remarked Lawyer Fauntleroy, when he was laughingly re-lating the story. "It seemed to me at the time lating the story. "It seemed to me at the time that the wedding was without a paralled in this or any other country. Brother Jim has a good, true and plucky little wife, God bless her, and I know they'll be happy as soon as he gets out of jail. This will not be long, as the doctor told me that Dugan is much better and is not injured internally. Of course if we had known last night that Dugan's life was safe we would not have hastened Jim's marriage: but it's all right, anyhow."

The sentiment in the county is strongly in favor of the young couple. All the parties are well-todo country people and have borne excellent reputations, - Special disputch to New York World,

## WAR AT LAST.

war against Bulgaria, King Milan of Servia nian repeats charges made two years ago, crossed the Bulgarian frontier with his army at one o'clock Saturday morning in three divisions, King Milan commanding the centre. The army met with no resistance in crossing. Sharp fighting occurred at Tru, on the Vlasina road, and at Kustendle. Many were killed and wounded on both sides. The Bulgarians retreated at all points. The Servians commenced operations by a vigorous attack on the Bulgarian position at Rewskedol. The Servians, descending from the heights of Dastcheui and Kladenetz, occupied the Bulgarian villages of Milostawtzi, Zelene, Gard and Svoutzi, in the Tru district. They met with no oppo-

Six battalions of Servian infantry, two batteries of artillery and two squadrons of cavalry yesterday attacked two battalions of regular and irregular Bulgarian troops. The Bulgarians lost thirty-four killed and wounded. Servian troops have occupied Tsaribrod, sustaining small loss. Fifty Bulgarians were captured and sent to the fortress at Belgrade. King Milan, before the advance commenced, observed that Sofia would be captured within three days.

Prince Alexander arrived at Soffa at ten o'clock yesterday morning. He was greeted with the utmost enthusiasm by the populace. The Bulgarian government has asked Turkey for assistance. Servia will respect the rights of the Sultan in Bulgaria.

Another contract has been made with the Austrian Lloyds for the transportation of thirty more battalions of troops from Asia Minor to European Turkey. Believing that the final struggle of the Turkish Empire for existence is approaching. Lord Salisbury has telegraphed to Mr. White, the British representative at Constantinople. instructions to assure the Porte that England will do her utmost to preserve the integrity of Turkey.

The Greek government has contracted for sixty mitrailleuse and Nordenfelt guns, and 146,000 rounds of ammunition, at the cost of \$160,000. The government has also contracted with the National Bank for a loan

Prince Alexander has sent a circular to the powers, in which he complains that the Servian agent at Bulgaria withheld for eight hours the notification of Servia's declaration of war. Prince Alexander indignantly denies that Bulgarians violated the Servian frontier, and declares that the Servians are solely blameable for the recent events on

the boundary.
Emperor William has granted permission to Prince Francis, of Battenberg, to serve in

The Journal de St. Petersburg hints that England, by delaying the meeting of the Balkan conference, is responsible for the outbreak of war between Servia and Bul-SENATOR MAHONE AND HIS SOMBREKO.-

When the steamship Republic arrived yesterday Senator Mahone, of Virginia, in a large, light-colored sombrero, boarded the health officer's steamboat at Quarantine and went out to greet his wife and daughter, who were among the Republic's passengers. Hans F. Beattie, Surveyor of this port, and Senator Mahone met in the Republic's

men, and brought only empty ones out. Senator Mahone will be one of the Senators that will confirm President Cleveland's apport next winter .- N. Y. Sun of to day.

The supper table at the Bazaar will be filled with everything that is palatable.

SHOCKING TRAGEDY.

Alice, the fourteen-year-old daughter of of Charles D. Powell, a well-to-do farmer in to school as usual at that place Friday Darkness having come on, a party was organized in Kempsville, and the search resulted about 11 o'clock in finding the body of the girl in a thicket about twenty yards from the road, her head nearly severed from coupon cases until the first Monday in her body. She had also received three stab wounds, but it was not positive that she hours until Fauntleroy could return to ally believed that murder had been resorted to to conceal the moore atrocious crime. Powell had in his employ a negro man named Cherry, about eighteen years of age, coal black, who was driven from the premises a few days ago because of a difficulty with one of Powell's sons. He is believed to be the murderer, and was caught Satur-Fauntleroy's friends were much alarmed day morning. The excitement is intense, as to what his fate would be if Dugan should and if the crime is fixed on him his time on married, as Miss Downes could not be made | ened by the sound of approaching voices he murdered the girl and fled. The details of the terrible crime are hor-

rible. The body was traced by the discovery of the little giri's lunch basket, delicately prepared by loving hands in the morning. The contents of the basket were scattered neck was a terrible gash, large enough to Her underclothing was torn, showing that the murderer had also attempted an outrage before the murder. An examination, however, showed that the child had not been violated. When the body was picked up the wound in the neck. Blood besmered the bushes for some distance, and the body had been dragged head downward to the spot where found. Noah Cherry, the colored youth arrested on suspicion, claims to be indicates that he is at least eighteen. He has a sheepish look, and bears a very unenviable reputation. The wounds on the chi'd show that either an ax or hatchet was the weapon used, and that it was wielded by a left handed person. Cherry is lefthauded. On Friday night he told some friends that he was coming to Norfolk Saturday to purchase a geography, reading and and Bulgaria." spelling books. These were the books stolen but the geography was found Saturday on the side of the path leading from the scene of the murder to Cherry's home. It was wet from the rain of Friday night, and covered with the dead child's blood. Cherry acknowledged that he was on the Holland swamp road on Friday at eleven o'clock, and said he was on his way to Mr. Powell's to collect what money was due him. It is reported that positive evidence of his guilt was found at his residence in blood-smeared pants. At the funeral of the little victim yesterday afternoon the scene was very dis ressing.

THE OREGON SENATORSHIP.-Joseph H Mitchell having come out publicly as a candidate for United States Senator, the Portland Oregonian prints letters written by Mitchell in 1870 and 1871 to Carrie Price, sister of his wife, making love to her in the most ardent manner, and promising if she In pursuance of his formal declaration of from his wife and marry her. The Orego (when Mitchell was a candidate,) and urges Mitchell to sue it for libel, so that it may prove the charges in court. The publica tion creates no little excitement throughout the State. The first ballot for United States Senator takes place to-morrow. The Legislature adjourned Friday until to-day at 2 c'clock. The only pronounced candidates thus far are ex Senators George H. Williams and Mitchell. It seems settled that the republicans will not go into a caucus on the Senatorial question.

> DEATH OF A MERCHANT PRINCE,-Horace B. Claffin, the New York, dry goods merchant, died Saturday afternoon at his summer house at Fordham. He was to have returned to his home in Brooklyn last Thursday. That day he was attacked with an apoplectic stroke, which resulted fatally. The funeral will take place to-morrow afternoon. The interment will be in Greenwood, Rev. H. W. Beecher will probably officiate. Mr. Claffin was born at Milford, Mass., December 18, 1811.

Among the dispatches read at the Danville demonstration last Friday night was the following:

ALEXANDRIA, Va., Nov. 13. Col. J. Richard Llewelen: As you celebrate the victory which

"Rung out the old, rung in the new; Rung out the false, rung in the true." all Virginia rejoices. Professional engage-

ments detain me here. CHARLES E. STUART. Trinity M. E. Sunday School Ladies' and Gentle-

men's Fancy Bazaar. The following donations have been re-

ceived in addition to these published Satur-

Through Mrs. H. M. Foltz-Mrs. S. S. Spencer, Lancaster, Pa., blue satin toilet set, value \$12: Miss Sallie Wiley, Lancaster, Pa., 1 pair bedroom slippers and a worsted baby sacque; Mrs.

Martha Barber, 50c.; Mrs. James Tennesson, worsted cap; Mrs. Reynolds, bronze statue and apron. Through the committee—From friends, 4 bunches flowers, 1 basket grapes, 6 bunches lettuce, 6 bunches celery, 50c cash, 1 ham, 1 turkey, ½ bushel peanuts; Miss Clara Kerzey, 2 fancy work baskets and 4 cakes; Mrs. H. H. Service, child's apron; Miss Farmon, an apron; Mr. Hutchins, 20c; Miss Anna Gordon, a cake; Mrs Markham, canned peaches and sugar; Miss Mamie Woodward, flour and sugar; Misses Bessie and Florence Myers, sugar and rice. Through Mr. O. F. Baggett-M. Bossart, 3 gallons ice cream; Mr. MacDonough, Recorder of Hoboken, N. J., 1 lot fancy goods. Through Mrs. S. F. Dyson-Miss Sarah Nagle, cash \$1; Miss Grace Cogan, pound cake; Mrs. W. B. Crawford, Sunbury, Pa., fancy dust cap; Miss Lizzie Crawford, Sunbury, Pa., daisy tidy. Through Mrs. David Williams-Mrs. Virginia Stewart, fancy tidy and easel; a friend. silver cream pitcher and fancy apron; Charles Helmuth, 2 beef tongues; Mrs. Lillie Rogers, a cake: Mr. R. Avery, 100 pickles: W. D. Leatherland, 50c; Mr. S. Keith, lot apples. Through Mrs. W. T. Herrick-a friend, gallon ice cream; Mr. Herfurth, 1 box cigars; Mr. J. T. Cox, shell ornaments and china cup and saucer; Mr. Leef, a whisp-holder and whisp; Mr. John Lunt, whisp-holder and whisp; W. D. Hudson, bottle cologne; Mr. McBurney, lot of sugar; a friend, a traced net tidy; a friend, crazy pin-cushion. Through a friend-Miss Ida O'Neal, Washington, 2 floral fan placques and paper dolls; Will French, Washington, fancy articles; Miss Clara Kersey, 2 cretone work baskets and a cake. Through Janie Kidwell-Miss Pitcher, jar peaches.

"Lo! the poor Indian!" tramping about in all sorts of weather, and dying with cold. low by Won't some "good Samaritan" send him a bottle of Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup?

Buy your lunch during the coming week at Trinity M. E. Church Bazaar.



ASSOCIATED PRESS DISPATCHES.

Virginia Coupon Cases.

(Special Dispatches to the Alexandria GAZETTE.) WASHINGTON, Nov. 16 .- In the U. S. Supreme Court to day, on motion of Attorney General Blair, of Virginia, the court postponed the argument in the Virginia

The War in Europe. LONDON, Nov. 16 .- Turkey has ordered 20,000 tons of coal at New Castle to be delivered in six weeks, and has sent £30,000 to Hungary for the purchase of additional artillery horses. The daily newspapers, in their editorials on the Bulgarian-Servian war, are unanimous in condemning Servia, and express great anxiety as to the future

The Times' Belgrade correspondent says; The proclamation of King Milan issued on Saturday, setting forth Servia's grievances and declaring war against Bulgaria, does not touch the true chord of the national feeling in Servia. The nation does not share in the King's resentment against Bulgaria, and the ill will of the Servians against Bul-

BELGRADE, Nov. 16 .- After desperate fighting yesterday the Servian troops occupied positions at Raptcha. The losses on both sides were heavy. This victory enabled them to turn the very difficult and rocky gorge of Dragoman pass, and the Bulgarians, after a gallant resistance, retreated the head almost dropped off, so deep was to Slivanitza, where an important engagement is expected to take place to-day, which will probably decide the fate of Sofia. The direct road to Sofia passes through Tzaribrod and Dragoman; but another route runs only fifteen years of age, but his appearance by way of Tru, and turns both defiles of Tzaribrod and Dragoman, reaching Sofia by way of Bresnik. It was probably on the latter road the fight of yesterday took place.

Paris, Nov. 16 .- The Journal des Debats Constantinople correspondent says : "Turkey has refused to interfere between Servia

#### Riel Executed.

REGINA, N. W. T., Nov. 16 .- Louis David Riel was executed on the scallold at the barracks of the mounted police force, near this city, for high-treason against the Queen of Great Britain at S:23 o'clock this morning (mountain time). Riel received the notice to proceed to the scaffold in the same composed manner shown the preceding night on receiving the warning of his fate. His face was full of color and he appeared to have complete self possession, responding to the religious service in a clear tone. The prisener decided only a moment before starting for the scaffold not to make a speech. This was owing to the carnest solicitation of both the priests attending him. On the scaffold he repeated his prayers to the last moment, the final words escaping remained true to him he would get a divorce being "Merci, Jesu." He died without a struggle. Not exceeding twenty persons were permitted within the confines of the barracks to witness the execution, and it was certainly performed with decorum and dispatch. His body was taken in charge Mills super \$3 00a3 40; doextra \$3 50a4 15; do by the coroner and the verdict usual to all State executions was rendered.

## Supreme Court.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 16.-The U. S. Supreme Court to-day rendered its decision in the Kentucky railroad tax cases. They were three in number, brought by the State against the New Orleans and Texas Pacific, the Louisville and Nashville, and the Chesapeake and Ohio railroads to recover taxes levied by the State. The decision of the lower courts was in favor of the State, which the Supreme Court now affirms.

## Lynched.

NORFOLK, Va., Nov. 16 .- The negro Noah Cherry, who attempted a fiendish assault upon the little girl, Alice Powell, and then murdered her in Princess Anne county Friday, was hanged to a tree within a mile of where the deed was committed about ten o'clock last night. He confessed the crime after a rope was put around his neck.

The pound table at Trinity M. E. Church Bazaar is a new feature in this city.

The matter for wonder and astonishment is this: When Remus jumped over his brother's little city wall how were his sprains and bruises cured without Salvation Oil?

Twenty-five cents will buy you a good meal at the Bazaar.

BREECH LOADING GUNS, fine quality, Shell ejecting, Double action and other Pistels, Loading Implements, Shells, Caps, Primers, Wads and other goods in same line, will be sold at low prices, at 88 King, corner of Royal streets. Call and examine.

J. T. CREIGHTON & SON. nov14 HOT SODA WITH COFFEE, TEA, CHOCO-LATE and BOUILLON BEEF TEA, at nov16 J. D. H. LUNT'S.

FRESHLY ROASTED COFFEES, roasted in an aroma-saving roaster, at my store, for sale by ov16 J. C. MILBURN. NEW YORK HAND PICKED BEANS for sale by [nov16] J. C. MILBURN. by [nov16]

GROCERIES-A Full Line of Fancy and Staple Groceries suitable for Fall Trade, for sale low [sep16] J. C. MILRURN.

SOAP! SOAP! SOAP! 25 Gross Honeysuckle Soap received to-day and for sale, low, whole-sale and retail, by [sep15] J. C. MILBURN. 150 DOZ. CANS RED CROSS TOMATOES, received to day by

J. C. MILBURN. SPICES.—Strictly Pure Ground and Whole Spices just received for sale by J. C. MILBURN.

DICKLES. SWEET AND SOUR, just received for sale in quantities to suit by oct3 J. C. MILBURN. oct3 ADIES' KID GLOVES AND HOSIERY A

CHAPMAN'S 92 King st. DRIED PEACHES, APPLES AND CHEERIES, oc17 just received by J. C. MILBURN. oc15

BBLS, CRYSTAL, NEW SOUTH, MONARCH 10 and Tenney Choice Family Flour for sale low by [je11] J. C. MILBURN. T HAVE THE BEST ASSORTMENT OF HAND Saws in the city. Prices very low.

SHREDED OATS, in packages, for sale by nov2 J. C. MILBURN.

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MONETARY AND COMMERCIAL

NEW YORK, November 16 -Following biology prices in London the opening prices this microline on the New York Stock Exchange were from t. to 34 per cent, higher than they closed on Satur day. There was a further small advance in some cases and then an irregular decline for that legal amounts. Towards the end of the that hour the market again became strong, but the movement throughout the hour was active, feverish and irregular. At 11 o'clock the market was notice. and firm at or near opening figures.

Wholesale Prices of Picancon Alexand i Nov. Flour, fine...... \$3 25 (6 Superfine.....  $\begin{array}{c} 4.25 \\ 4.75 \end{array}$ Extra ..... Family..... Fancy brands... Wheat, Longberry... Fultz.... Mixed .. 0.90 Fair Wheat .. Damp and tough .... 0 80 New do ... 0 40 Yellow..... Butter, prime Common to middling. Chickens per lb. Chickens per doz..... Veal Calves..... Apples per bbl..... 'otatoes, new, per bushel ... Onions per bushel.... es, pecled...... unpecied..... Bacon-Hams, country ... Best sugar cured Barus. Butchers' Hams..... Breakfast Bacon..... Sugar-cured Shoulders ...... Bulk shoulders ..... lg. cl. sides..... D. S. butts..... bellies.....

Lard.

Bacon Shoulders ..... Sides..... Smoked Beef.... La Gauyra..... Java..... 3 50 4 50 5 50 9.00

C. B..... Herring, Eastern, per bbl... No. 3, medium... No. 3, large fat... No. 2..... Clover Seed..... Timothy ..... Plaster, ground, per ton..... Ground in baga..... Fine ...... Turk's Island ..... 1 35 0 20 0 27 Wool--Long unwashed ...... Washed..... Merino, unwashed...... 0 20 mac..... 17 00 16.00 20 00 19 00

Flour is without material change and tirm, with good offerings but no pressure of stock. Wheat is strong and more active, prime lots not being often found among the offerings and readily command the attention of buyers at the recent advance Corn is steady but quiet. Rye and Oats are high er. Produce is firmer on account of more favora ble weather.

BALTIMORE, Nov. 16,-Va. 6's solidated —; past due coupons 59; new 10 40a 39 ½; new 35 59 bid to-day. Cotton steady and dull, middling 9½, Flour dull but steady; Howard street and Western super \$3 00.3 25; do extra \$3 50.4 15; do family \$4 40.5 00; City Rio brands \$5 00a5 12; Patapseo family \$5 65; do superlative patent \$6 00. Wheat—southern steady and firm; Western firm and higher; Southern red 93a95; do amber 98a101; No 1 Maryland 95 bid; No 2 Western winter red spot 92<sup>3</sup>; January 974, 3974; February 99a 394; Corn—Southern nominal; Western quiet and firm; Southern white, new, 43a47; do yellow 43a47; Western quiet and firm; Southern white, new, 43a47; do yellow 43a47; Western quiet and firm; Southern white, new, 43a47; do yellow 43a47; Western quiet and firm; Southern white, new, 43a47; do yellow 43a47; Western quiet and firm; Southern white, new, 43a47; do yellow 43a47; Western quiet and firm; Southern quiet an orn mixed spot 50 bid; year 47% a18; January 46 947 4; February 46 946 4. Oats firm but quiet; Southern and Penna 32a36; Western white 33a35; domixed 31a33. Ryc firm at 70a72. Hay steady and quiet; prime to choice Western \$13a15. Provisions higher and fairly active; Mess Pork \$10.25. Bulkmeats, shoulders, and clear rib sides packed 4%40%. Bacon shoulders 5%; clear rib sides 7; hams 11a11%. Lard—refined 7%. Butter steady: Western packed 11 a15; creamery 20a28. Eggs steady at 24a25 limed 17a18. Coffee quiet; Rio cargoes, ordina ry to fair 7% a8%. Sugar steady and quiet; A soft 64. Whiskey firm at \$1 19a1 20.

Chicago, Nov. 16.—Wheat opened strong this morning, \(^1\)\_{3}\(^1\)\_{4}\(^1\)\_{6} higher, advanced \(^1\)\_{4}\(^3\)\_{8}\(^2\)\_{9} more, December selling up to 91\(^1\)\_{8}\(^1\)\_{1}\(^1\)\_{1}\(^1\)\_{1}\(^1\)\_{1}\(^1\)\_{1}\(^1\)\_{1}\(^1\)\_{1}\(^1\)\_{1}\(^1\)\_{1}\(^1\)\_{2}\(^1\)\_{2}\(^1\)\_{1}\(^1\)\_{2}\(^1 a shade of the case on and is law 40%, for year, 36% for January 39% for May. Oats stead r, 26% for November, 27% for December and 30% for May. Pork easy 7%a10e lower, \$9.77% for January, \$9.87% for February. Lard easier, \$6.22% for January and \$6.33% for February.

NEW YORK, Nov. 16 .- Stocks active and strong Money nominal at 2a3, Cotton firm; uplands 95; Orleans 9 9-16; futures steady. Flour juict and steady. Wheat unsettled and higher. Corn lower. Pork firm at \$9 75a\$10. Lard firm

PHILADELPHIA CATTLE MARKET, Nov. 16 .-Cattle.—Market dull; prime 5<sup>1</sup>4a6; good 4<sup>1</sup>5a5; medium 3<sup>1</sup>4a4<sup>1</sup>4; common 2a3. Sheep.—Market active; prime 4<sup>1</sup>5a4<sup>1</sup>4; good 3<sup>3</sup>4a4<sup>1</sup>4; medium 3<sup>1</sup>4a3<sup>1</sup>5; common 2a3. Hogs.—Market active, selling at 5a5<sup>3</sup>4.

MARINE NEWS.

PORT OF ALEXANDRIA, NOVEMBER 16. Sun rises...... 6 42 Sun sets......... 4 47 ABRITED.

Schr Only Son, Norfolk, to J H D Smoot.

DIED.

Of apoplexy, November 14th, 1885, SAMUEL W. MARKELL, in the sixty-seventh year of his age. Funeral will take place from St. Paul's Church, Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

DROF. A. E. SOLODER, a native of the Fiji . Islands, will lecture in the First Baptist Church, on Alfred street, on Wednesday evening next, at 7:30 o'clock. The Professor has traveled extensively, and has made the manners and customs of cannibal nations his particular study. He will speak and sing in twenty different dia lects, and give vivid descriptions of the supersti-tions, abominations and cruelties of the natives of the Fiji Islands. A feature of the evening will be a heathen marriage ceremony, [nov16-2t]

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